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TO: ALL COUNTY CLERKS/REGISTRARS OF VOTERS (08076)

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SUBJECT: Proposition 34 Legislative Candidates Form 501 Status Report – Updated

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The "Proposition 34 – June 3, 2008 Statewide Direct Primary Election Legislative Candidate Statement Form 501 Status Report" has been updated and posted on the Secretary of State's website at: http://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/elections_cand_stat.htm.

This report will be updated through the close of the candidate nomination period, March 7, 2008 (E-88), and placed on the Secretary of State's website. We will issue a final report in conjunction with the Certified List of Candidates for the June 3, 2008 Statewide Direct Primary Election on March 27, 2008 (E-68).

As you are aware, Proposition 34 allows for **legislative candidates** (State Senate and Assembly) who have accepted the campaign expenditure limits under Proposition 34 to purchase a candidate statement in the appropriate county sample ballot/voter information guide for the June 3, 2008 Statewide Direct Primary Election.

United States Representative candidates are not afforded the opportunity to purchase a candidate statement in your county-specific sample ballot. There is no provision in state law to allow for federal candidates to place a candidate statement in county sample ballots or the state ballot pamphlet.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please contact me at (916) 653-5144. Thank you.